

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: BURTON
Serial No.: 09/657,486
Filed: SEPTEMBER 8, 2000
Title: MULTI-LAYER ABSORBENT WOUND DRESSING

Examiner: UNKNOWN
Group Art Unit: 3761
Docket: 7780.612US01

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described herein, are being deposited in the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, with sufficient postage, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on May 15, 2001.

By: *Pat Bradley*
PAT BRADLEY

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- ☒ Transmittal Sheet in duplicate containing Certificate of Mailing
- ☒ Associate Power of Attorney
- ☒ Return postcard

Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers, if appropriate. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2725. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

MERCHANT & GOULD P.C.
P.O. Box 2903, Minneapolis, MN 55402-0903
612.332.5300



By: *Daniel M. Pauly*
Name: Daniel M. Pauly
Reg. No.: 40,123
DPAuly:PSTpb

09-11-00

A

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Scott Burton
 Docket: 7780.612US01
 Title: MULTI-LAYER ABSORBENT WOUND DRESSING

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

'Express Mail' mailing label number: EL674899256US

Date of Deposit: September 8, 2000

I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service 'Express Mail Post Office To Addressee' service under 37 CFR 1.10 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

By

Nakia White
 Name: Nakia White

BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- ☒ Transmittal sheet, in duplicate, containing Certificate under 37 CFR 1.10.
- ☒ Utility Patent Application: Spec. 32 pgs; 55 claims; Abstract 1 pgs.:
- ☒ 1 sheets of formal drawings
- ☒ An unsigned Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☒ Return postcard
- ☒ **PAYMENT OF THE FILING FEE IS BEING DEFERRED.**

MERCHANT & GOULD P.C.

P.O. Box 2903, Minneapolis, MN.55402-0903

(612) 332-5300

By:

Name: Daniel M. Pauly

Reg. No.: 40,123

Initials: DMP:ck



23552

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE